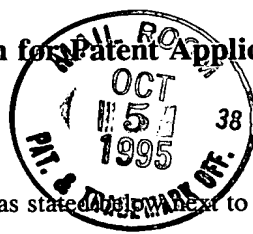


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Declaration for Patent Application



Docket Number: 1327.0440006

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled SUPPLEMENTAL AND UNSUPPLEMENTED TISSUE SEALANTS METHODS OF THEIR PRODUCTION AND USE, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

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as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 08/479,038; and  
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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**Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status  
(37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(e) and 1.27(d)) -- Nonprofit Organization**

I hereby declare that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

NAME OF ORGANIZATION The American National Red Cross  
ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION 430 17th Street N.W.  
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**TYPE OF ORGANIZATION**

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- ☐ the specification filed herewith  
☒ application no. 08/479,038, filed June 7, 1995  
☐ patent no. \_\_\_\_\_, issued \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization with regard to the above identified invention.

If the rights held by the nonprofit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below\* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(e).

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